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Dear Parents/carers,

We have had a busy week returning to school, the children have settled well into their classes and have been enthusiastic about their new learning, we are already feeling very proud of them. Thank you to those of you who were able to attend the meet and greet sessions. If you have any further questions or would like to arrange to meet the teachers over the next few weeks please email [families@langtree.devon.sch.uk](mailto:families@langtree.devon.sch.uk) and the teachers will arrange this with you.

Miss Rushworth has enjoyed her first week as Head of School, we are excited to be able to work together to ensure that your child's school days are the best that they can be. We also welcome Miss Dimmock and Miss Batstone to the team.

Don't forget to address any concerns to the class teacher in the first instance, if they are unable to resolve then Miss Rushworth, Mrs Clark or myself may be able to help.

### **Queen Elizabeth II**

We were saddened to hear of the death of Queen Elizabeth II yesterday. Our thoughts and prayers are with the Royal Family at this difficult time.

Today each class spent some time discussing the sad news and dealing, in an age appropriate way, with any questions they may have had.

In our usual assembly we took some time to talk about the Queen's life, how she represented the country and what happens next over the coming weeks.

We are hoping that this has enabled the children to share their thoughts and feelings in a safe environment and helped them to understand the context and to process any worries or concerns they may have picked up or wish to explore in the next few days.

### **Contact Forms**

Please make sure you have completed and returned your contact/permission forms. We will use these to ensure your email address is added to our system so that you receive communications.

We are still reviewing the use of dojo, in the meantime please email [families@langtree.devon.sch.uk](mailto:families@langtree.devon.sch.uk) or talk to teachers at drop off or pick up.

### **New Baby**

Congratulations to Mr and Mrs Symons

Amelia Rose has arrived safely and everyone is very well.

Thank you for all the well-wishes and gifts, which are being greatly appreciated!

Best wishes

Melanie Smallwood

Executive Head Teacher

**Dates:**

**Half term – Monday 24<sup>th</sup> – Friday 28<sup>th</sup> October**